

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 02309/0202739-US0	
Application No. 10/530,292-Conf. #4654	Filing Date April 4, 2005	Examiner Laura C. Hill	Art Unit 3761	

Applicant(s): Tatsuya Tamura et al.

Invention: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH COMPRESSED GROOVE AND FLEXIBLE PORTION

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	6	- 20 =	0	x 50.00	0.00
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0	x 210.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					0.00

☒ Large Entity
 ☐ Small Entity

☒ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 04-0100
 as described below.

☒ Credit any overpayment.

☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

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